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THE EDITOR'S CHAIR.

HOW THINGS LOOK FROM OUR STAND POINT.

The Opinion of The Caucasian and the Opinion of others which we Can Endorse on the Various Topics of the Day.

The Buffalo (N. Y.) Commercial, a Republican paper, has found out that little Billy Chandler, U. S. Senator from New Hampshire, "is far from a great man." A pulled nose in the Granite State is more honored than brains.—Wm. Messenger.

The ballot Bill just passed by Connecticut's Legislature, and signed by Gov. Bulkeley, provides that each voter shall enter a booth or compartment next to the polling place, where he can prepare his ballot free from observation; prohibits the approach of "workers" within a certain distance of the polls; requires all ballots to be printed on blank paper, to be purchased of the state and to be deposited in an envelope supplied by the State.—N. Y. World.

More states need this law.—Ep.

Several of the North Carolina papers are discussing the tariff. That is right. The people need instruction on that line. We suppose in the last fifteen years we have written hundreds of articles bearing on this from of taxation and its oppressions and abuses. If you want to make an impression be in earnest and give line upon line, here a little and there a good deal, and then keep on giving. Every few days the year round we stick our editorialawl in the monster known as a protective tariff. The "infant industry" dodge died about the time that Clay expired in 1857, we think it was.

Ben. Butler has written a damaging article against Gen. Porter and one of Porter's men come back at him in the N. Y. World as follows:

It may be that Ben Butler is right in his estimation of Admiral Porter, but it is not worth something to Porter to know that while he served all through the war he left no hatred of himself in the hearts of the women and children of the South; he terrorized no non-combatants; he robbed no private vaults for personal gain; he stole no cotton to enrich himself and partners; he hanged no foolish boys, and he has not been hauled into the courts since the war as a common freebooter to make restitution. The brand of thief is not stamped upon him, nor will his grand children shudder at the thought that he lives in the memory of ten millions of people as a rapacious beast.

Sampson county's annual loss in wasted fruits and vegetables, if estimated in dollars and cents and held up before our people, would cause some of them to open their eyes in astonishment. Each season is a repetition of this wanton waste, and what is the remedy? It is not necessary for us to answer a canning factory. This could be easily started on the plan that one has been organized under in Fayetteville. Those who have the means can furnish the capital and the fruit growers and farmers of the surrounding country can contract to furnish as much fruit and vegetables as the capacity of the factory may demand. Places in the state whose advantages are inferior to those of Clinton have canning factories in successful operation and why not Clinton with her superior advantages start one?

The cost of outfit for a factory on a small scale has been estimated as follows: A 12 horse power boiler \$220, open kettle \$17, crane \$13, exhaust box \$17, extra kettle \$8, air pumps \$3, oil tank \$8, fire pot \$10, capping tools \$8—total \$307. This outfit is all that would be needed in canning tomatoes, peaches, pears, berries and all vegetables except corn and peas. Now, let some one take hold of the matter and push it to success.

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DAVIDSON COLLEGE.

Commencement Day—Orations by Graduates—Dr. Shearer Formally Inducted into Office—Degrees Conferred, &c., &c.

(Cor. Wilmington Messenger.)

DAVIDSON COLLEGE, N. C., June 20th, 1889. A larger audience than usual attended the interesting exercises to-day, Dr. J. B. Shearer was elected President and Professor of Biblical Instruction, and Prof. C. R. Harding was elected Professor of Greek and German, both in June, 1888, were formally inducted into office by Hon. A. Leazer, now speaker of the lower house in the State Legislature and a trustee of Davidson College.

Dr. Shearer, after acknowledgment of the high honor conferred, and the social trusts connected with it, delivered an impressive inaugural, in which he emphasized the importance of the harmonious development of all faculties, physical, mental, social and spiritual, and the incompleteness of education that neglected any of these harmony requisites, of that high standard which he and the faculty would ever strive to foster.

The new gymnasium and Y. M. C. A. hall to be erected during the course of the coming session at a cost of \$30,000, will emphasize the importance of physical development, while the President's admirable Bible course, his constant efforts to make Davidson socially pleasant to students, and the thoroughness of instruction in the college, of his sincerity in regard to the other three elements, of well rounded culture recognizing the importance of Biblical instruction.

The family of Rev. William Banks, deceased, have instituted the Banks Biblical Medal, to be awarded to the student attaining highest grade in the Bible course. The medal awarded now for the first time was presented by the President to J. A. McArthur, of Fayetteville. The orator's medal was awarded to R. E. Clawson, Troutman, N. C., member of the Philanthropic society.

The following honorary degrees were conferred: LL. D.—C. W. Dubney, President of the University of Tennessee, Knoxville; D. D.—Rev. J. Y. Fair, Grace Church, Richmond, Va.; Rev. W. S. Lacy, Norfolk, Va.; and W. H. Bobcock, Hampden Sydney, Va.

W. S. Lacy was elected alumnus orator for next year.

The speaking tour on Wednesday night and commencement day was pronounced unusually good, by every competent judge present.

The next session begins September 12th, and closes a week earlier, the Christmas holidays being abridged one week.

SMALL TOWN PROGRESSING.

The Wilmington Messenger remarks:

Our observation is that the small towns of North Carolina, the intermediate stations and small places along the railroads, are making the most progress, showing the greatest proportionate improvement. There are different ways of accounting for this, and a variety of causes offered in explanation, but to our mind there is but one main cause producing this general effect. And that is altered methods in the transportation management of the country. One cannot fail to remark the evidences of new energy and progress at the various interior towns of our State, and inquiry will elicit the fact that it dates from the beginning of operations under the Inter-State Commerce law, which places all points practically upon the same footing in everything that relates to transportation beyond the limits of the State.

Clinton is one of this number and if she keeps on at the present rate of improvement she will ere long be ranked among the larger towns of the State. Let us have a few more manufacturing and she will soon double in size and population.

VETERANS' DAY.

Saturday, July 13th, has been set apart as Veterans' Day by Governor Fowle in the following letter:

RALEIGH, N. C., June 20th, '89.

The Confederate veterans having expressed a special desire that a day may be set apart for them at the Encampment of the State Guard at Camp Latimer, Wrightsville, Saturday, July 13th, is hereby designated as Veterans' Day. The entire brigade of the State Guard will parade on the afternoon of that day and receive the veterans with the highest honors, a review being among the ceremonies of the occasion. The railroads have been requested to give special rates to the veterans. It is particularly desirable that the attendance be as large as possible. Col. William L. DeRosier, of Wilmington, is requested to take command of the veterans on the day named.

D. G. FOWLE,
Governor.

CUMBERLAND NEWS.

A STRIKE OF RAILROAD EMPLOYEES—PROF. SINCLAIR RESIGNS.

A New Depot to be Built, Etc., Etc.

(Reg. Cor. CAUCASIAN.)

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., June 24th, 1889.

The little girls of the Hay street M. E. church have a pleasant lawn party at the residence of Mr. H. O. Sedberry, on Russell. They realized a nice little sum—twenty-five dollars, we believe.

A number of people from this city are at McFayden Springs, thirteen miles northwest from here. There is a number of cottages there, and bath houses. The water has valuable medicinal qualities, and every summer the sick, the lame and the halt go there.

The different committees for the Centennial have been announced. The make-up of them is good. The F. I. L. I. have received from ex-President Jefferson Davis a reply to the resolutions recently passed in which he reiterates his intention of being here.

Judge James C. McKee, has accepted an invitation to deliver a centennial address in the Tabernacle on the night of July 4th. Several other prominent speakers will also deliver addresses.

Mr. T. A. Barker, of the Hotel Lafayette, and his daughters, Misses Belle and Grace, have gone to Boston. Mrs. Barker remains here to run the hotel, while Mr. Barker will manage the famous Campbell Island hotel, near Ben Harbor, Maine, for the summer. He will return as soon as the season there is over, and the improvements to the La Fayette will probably be completed. There are steam heat, enclosed balconies, hot and cold baths, passenger elevator, &c. There will doubtless be many Northerners here next summer.

The Y. M. C. A. Convention at Maxton was a decided success in the number of delegates and the work accomplished. The convention is invited to meet here next time.

Mr. Charlie Rankin, of this city, has been elected literary editor of the University Magazine.

Mr. John M. Rose, says that the new depot, to be built here, by the C. E. & Y. V. Railway Company far surpasses anything of the kind in the State.

The negroes of this county have organized an emigration bureau. If about a half of them would leave we believe that it would be better for the State, as intelligent farmers from other States whom we desire to locate in the State will not come and attempt to do scientific farming with ignorant and shiftless laborers, and for the same reason white laborers are not coming here to compete with them. For the darkest, however we have the kindest feelings, as all Southerners have. The writer loved his old "mammy" as she was called, and can have no hard feelings for her race.

Mr. Daniel Stone, of Hope Mills, No. 1, had a "arm" lacerated in the machinery which necessitated amputating it.

The Fayetteville Canning Company has elected Mr. N. H. Smith general superintendent. The factory will be located on Franklin street, near the ice factory. The plant has been ordered and an expert from Baltimore will be engaged to come and learn the superintendent the process.

The repairs on the steamer, "D. Murchison," have been finished and she has resumed her regular trips on the river. The "Hurt" is at her wharf here undergoing a thorough overhauling.

Prof. N. A. Sinclair has resigned as superintendent of the Graded Schools to commence the practice of law in this city. The Board of Trustees will soon elect a superintendent and applications are in order.

Cumberland Lodge Knights of Pythias have generously responded to the appeal of the Johnstown sufferers.

The F. I. L. I. were to have a Lawn Party at Ecce's Park last Friday night, but rain prevented and it was adjourned to the armory. A large crowd attended and the receipts very liberal. The company will have an entertainment every Friday evening for several weeks. Fayetteville is very proud of this organization. It will celebrate its centennial in 1893. An armory fund is being raised. An eligible site on Hay street has been purchased to build on.

STATEMENT

Of the Expenses of Sampson County from First Monday in December, 1888, to First Monday in June, 1889:

DECEMBER.

To Mrs. Thos. Bell, for cutting and making clothing at county farm, \$5 00
" Alex. Gautier for work at county farm, 4 00
" Julia Hudson, for services as cook at county farm, 10 00
" Thos. Bell for services as supt. at county farm, 25 00
" E. C. Smith, for registering voters in Taylor's Bridge township, 8 25
" Stewart & Hines for rations for paupers, 69 71
" Stewart & Hines to merchandise to Co. E., 16 97
" W. E. Bass for keeping jail one month, 49 30
" S. T. Johnson for services and mileage as county canvasser, 3 80
" J. D. Kerr for services and mileage as county canvasser, 5 20
" A. J. Johnson for services and mileage as county canvasser, 3 90
" H. C. Faison for services as canvasser, 3 40
" A. H. King for services as canvasser, 3 90
" H. B. Barefoot for registering voters, 10 80
" E. B. Owen for registering voters, 5 34
" R. M. Crumpler for registering voters, 9 81
" Ransom West for registering voters, 6 00
" Judson L. Co. for services as co. canvasser, 3 50
" Joel Jones for services as county canvasser, 3 90
" J. E. Royal to merchandise for courthouse, 75
" J. E. Royal to merchandise for county jail, 17 40
" M. W. Clifton for cost in case State vs. Peter Dobson, 1 15
" J. H. Hatcher for conveying prisoner to jail, 1 00
" W. King making coffin for pauper, 2 00
" C. H. McLamb services as canvasser, 4 00
" Dorcas Smith 3 months' support, 6 00
" A. H. King for registering voters, 13 44
" A. J. Cooper services as county canvasser, 3 20
" A. M. Blackburn for registering voters, 9 15
" A. W. Haws for burying pauper, 3 00
" J. E. Lewis for work on safe, 2 00
" T. F. Spell for services as canvasser, 4 50
" J. H. McCullin for material and repairing of bridge, 3 96
" H. C. Monk for services as canvasser, 4 10
" J. R. Maxwell for services as member of Board of Co. Canvassers, 4 50
" T. S. Underwood for services as member of Board of Co. Canvassers, 3 55
" W. M. Drayton for registering voters, 9 78
" M. M. Kilitt for services as member of Board of Co. Canvassers, 2 90
" W. M. Drayton for services as member of Board of Co. Canvassers, 2 70
" J. M. Spell for services with Board of County Canvassers, 2 00
" J. E. Moore for balance on Union and Newkirk bridges, 59 37
" C. Patrick for half gallon whiskey for County Farm, 75
" R. A. Ingram for registering voters, 8 73
" M. M. Kilitt for registering voters, 9 48
" C. H. Williams for summoning road jurors, 3 00
" Dulaney Matthews for balance on road juror, 1 00
" Dr. J. A. Stevens for medical attention to Mary Blackburn, 7 50
" Jno. Ashford one day's service as chairman of Board County Com'rs, 2 00
" Jno. Ashford one day at County Farm, 2 00
" W. H. Fossioner, one day as constable, 2 00
" W. H. Tomlinson 15 miles travel, 90
" J. W. Underwood one day as commissioner, 2 00
" J. W. Underwood 20 miles travel, 7 00
" J. W. Underwood two days at bridge, 4 00
" J. W. Underwood fifty miles travel, 2 50
" C. Patrick half gallon whiskey for county farm, 75
" J. A. Harrell & Co. for blanks for Courthouse, 2 95
" D. W. Kelly for arrest

THE TEACHERS' ASSEMBLY.

This body is now in session at Morehead City in increased force. The correspondent of the News and Observer says:

The principal features of the Assembly so far have been the opening address of President Geo. T. Winston, lecture by Dr. Crowell of Trinity College, on Economy in School, a symposium on English Literature, under the direction of Dr. Hume of the University, and an excellent paper on "Reading" by Prof. J. L. Tomlinson of the Greensboro public schools.

The annual address by President Winston was one of the best addresses we ever heard from anybody on any occasion. It was full of good advice, sound common sense, and withal witty, bright and full of charming humor.

The most laughter-provoking part of the address was the allusion to the approaching visit of the Teachers to Europe. The speaker said he had noticed with peculiar pleasure the great preparation France was making for their reception, the Eiffel tower, Buffalo Bill, &c. He then read a telegram from H. R. Albert, Prince of Wales to Eugene W. Harrell, Secretary of the Teachers' Assembly. The Prince wanted to know if Harrell wanted rooms in Buckingham Palace for the Assembly, or only Harrell and "Winston." The telegram closed with this solicitous inquiry: "Have you and Winston had the mumps?" Secretary Eugene Harrell's reply was also read amid great laughter and applause.

Gov. Fowle addressed the Assembly briefly and in his happy and eloquent manner he spoke of his love for the Teachers' Assembly and his confidence in the greatest good which it was now doing and was destined to accomplish for the State. His pleasant words were received with enthusiasm showing the strong friendship which the Assembly entertains for Gov. Fowle.

CHANGES AT NIAGARA FALLS.

There have been two heavy falls of rock at Niagara lately: a mass of rock fell from the Horse-shoe Falls first, and the next day another great mass was precipitated into the abyss resembling that of an earthquake as to the change in the shape of the falls, making it again horseshoe shape, whereas the breaking away of rocks a few years since had made it V-shape. The falls of Niagara are gradually moving to the south, digging away the shaly rocks as they move backward. It was formerly thought that the gradual wearing away would finally lower the falls into a series of rapids; but later theories, which appear reasonable, lead to the conclusion that the falls will recede about two miles and then remain stationary, and have a height of eighty feet, instead of one hundred and sixty-four, as at present.—Demorest's Monthly.

THE UNIVERSITY.

The catalogue of the University of North Carolina for the year past shows that the institution is well equipped for work. It enters upon a second century of life with every promise of enlarged usefulness, and prosperity. The next session begins September 5th, 1889. For catalogue, address Hon. Kemp P. Battle, President, Chapel Hill, N. C.

The President observes the sacredness of the day on sea or land as he yachts to.—Bridgton (Me.) News.

of Allen Williamson and other expenses.

"C. Patrick for two days' service as chairman B. C. C., 4 00
"J. C. Hobbs two days as commissioner, 4 00
"J. C. Hobbs 56 miles travel, 2 80
"J. M. Marshburn for 2 days service as commissioner and 48 miles travel, 6 40
"O. F. Herring two days service as clerk to Board County Commissioners and services to Board County Canvassers, etc., 22 60

JANUARY.

To H. F. Highsmith and W. L. Fennell for examining lunatics, \$ 2 00
"H. F. Highsmith for registering voters, 9 72
"Rebecca Page for three months' support, 10 00
"M. Hanstein merchandise for county farm, 15 00
"A. F. Johnson for merchandise for county farm, 11 78
"Louisa Faircloth, one month's support, 3 00
"W. E. Bass for keeping jail, 60 75
"J. D. Maloy for material and repairing Graham bridge, 39 60
"J. E. Royal for merchandise for jail and Courthouse, 1 05
"J. E. Royal for merchandise for Co. Farm, 17 87
"Jas. Brewington for cutting four cords of wood for County Farm, 4 00
"Wm. Russell for work at County Farm, 12 13
"J. T. Gregory for waiting on Grand Jury at December term 1888, 8 00
"E. Peterson for calling Court at Dec. term, '88, 10 00
"W. A. Mints for service as road juror, 1 00
"E. H. Hris for services as road juror, 1 00
"L. P. Bard for conveying R. C. Bland to the asylum, 11 50
"J. E. Owen for services as road juror, 1 00
"J. W. Autry for burial expenses of Mrs. Sallie Parker, 5 80
"Stewart & Hines for merchandise for county farm, 45 26
"J. S. Bizzell, C. S. C., for stationery for office, 51 00
"J. M. Spell for summoning jurors, &c., 23 30
"H. A. Brewington for balance on bridge contract, 34 18
"J. M. Shipp one pair hames, 90
"T. H. Patrick & Bro., for merchandise for county farm, 37 98
"W. J. Craddock for error in Taxes, 2 00
"Stewart & Hines for merchandise for paupers, etc., 19 16
"L. C. Spell for registering voters, 6 84
"Edwards & Broughton for book and blanks, 8 45
"G. Smith for burying pauper, 3 00
"E. Turner for material and work on jail, 22 55
"Wilmington Hospital for medicine and treatment for Jas. Bledsoe, 26 25
"J. D. Kerr for material for bridge, 10 41
"C. Patrick wood for county farm, 6 75
"C. Patrick, wood for jail, 3 00
"W. B. King for three months' support, 5 82
"O. H. Allen for services as solicitor at December term 1888, 24 50
"J. M. Spell for cost of the appeal in case State vs. Anna Ellis, 20 35
"C. Patrick for two days as chair'n B. C. C., 4 00
"C. Patrick one day at county farm, 2 00
"C. Patrick one day at bridge, 2 00
"J. C. Hobbs two days as commissioner, 4 00
"J. C. Hobbs 56 miles travel, 2 80
"J. M. Marshburn two days as commissioner, 4 00
"J. M. Marshburn 48 miles travel, 2 40
"J. M. Marshburn one day at bridge, 2 00
"J. M. Marshburn 32 miles travel, 1 60
"O. F. Herring for two days service as commissioner and making settlement with sheriff for State taxes and other work done by order of commissioners, 27 10

FEBRUARY.

To Maggie Pough for one month's support for self and children, 3 00
"Nathaniel Faircloth for 3 months' support, 9 00
"Louisa Faircloth for three months' support, 9 00

(Continued on the Fourth Page.)

THE INTER-STATE FARMERS' ASSOCIATION.

This body, which was organized at Atlanta, Ga., in August, 1887, is composed of representatives from Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, and Virginia. These representatives (five or more for each Congressional District) are appointed by the Vice Presidents of the States, respectively.

VICE-PRESIDENTS.

R. F. Kold, Montgomery, Ala.
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L. D. Yarell, Bellfield, Va.
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G. B. Pickett, Decatur, Texas.

The Association will meet in the city of Montgomery, Ala., on the 20th of August, next.

Reduced rates, on all lines of railway will be secured, as also at the hotels and boarding houses of that city, and will be furnished to delegates in due time by the Secretary.

Composed of leading, practical agriculturists of the South, this body will represent the enterprise and progressive thought, which new conditions and surroundings have evolved and which must solve the great economic questions now confronting us. Let every State be fully and strongly represented. Important questions affecting the material advancement and industrial development of the South, and especially the promotion of her great agricultural interests, will be considered.

L. L. POLK, Pres., Raleigh, N. C.

Jno. C. CHENEY, Sec'y, Montgomery, Ala.

AN EFFECTIVE MULE INVIGORATOR.

[From the Philadelphia Press.]

While travelling in Virginia some time ago with a doctor we came upon an old colored man who was standing by a mule hitched to an old two-wheeled vehicle. "Dis mule an balked, boss," said the old man, "an' I'll jis gib a dollar to de man what can start 'im."

"I will do it for less than that, uncle," said the doctor. He took his case from the carriage, and selected a small syringe, which he filled with morphia. He went to the side of the mule, and quickly inserting the syringe in his side pushed the contents into the animal. The mule reared upon his hind legs, and giving an astonished bray started down the road at a break-neck speed. The aged colored man gave a look of astonishment at the doctor, and with a loud "Whoa!" started down the road after the mule. In the course of ten minutes we came up to the old man standing in the road waiting for us. The mule was nowhere in sight.

"Say, boss," said the darkey, "how much do you charge for dat stuff you put in da mule?"

"O ten cents will do," laughingly replied the doctor.

"Well, boss, heab is twenty cents. Squirt some of dat stuff in me. I must ketch dat mule."

"The original inventor of the 'Mule Invigorator' anecdote ought to sue the Press for damages for an infringement on his patent.—[Editor's.]—Greensboro North State.

[We heard the above joke ten years ago.—ED. CAUCASIAN.]

THE SECURITY OF THE BELIEVER.

God binds Himself to his people by His faithful promises. The citizens of Tyros chained their god Appollo to a post, so as to make sure of his assistance when their enemies rushed upon them. Now God, by His own loving free will has so chained, so allied Himself to his people by the immutable covenant, by the death of His Son, by His oath, that no powers of earth and hell shall ever be able to separate Him from His obedient people. "For I am persuaded that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come; nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord." Here we see Paul, with magnificent defiance, throwing down the gauntlet to all the devils in hell, and triumphantly resting in the everlasting love of God. Upon this immovable Rock he stood to smile at Satan's rage and face a frowning world.—Ex.

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CHILDREN'S CORNER.

Something Interesting for the Little Folks.

[Prepared for THE CAUCASIAN each week by W. A. Johnson.]

TRIANTS.

When the sun was tired and slipped behind a cloud,
The golden day,
All the little rain-drops gathered in a crowd,<
Whispering together, "He will never know,
Let us take a holiday. Let us fall below."
When the sun was rested and wandered out,
He found
All the little rain-drops fallen to the ground,
"Well," he thought, "I'm sorry, but I'll try
To get them back again in a little while."

THE LOST DAY.

Where is the day I lost,
The golden day,
Beyond all price and cost,
That slipped away,
Out of my wandering sight,
Where did it lift in flight
Its wings of gold?

What were the treasures, rare,
It bore from me?
What were the pleasures fair
I shall not see?

A's, never day was yet
So fine, so fair,
So rich with promise set,
So free from care,
As that we mourn and sigh
A heap we do say:
"Alas, how time doth fly,
I've lost a day!"

We should always act the truth as well as speak the truth.

Quarrels would never last long if the fault was only on one side.

Beautiful hands are those that do deeds that are noble, good, and true.

Our own heart, and not other men's opinions, form our true honor.—Coleridge.

"Which do you love most, your papa or your mamma?" Little Charlie: I love papa most. Charlie's Mother: Why, Charlie, I'm surprised at you. I thought you loved me most. Charlie: Can't help it, mamma; we men must stick together.

Little Howard had been told he must be punished, but that he could choose between a whipping or being shut in a dark closet. After a moment's serious thought, he said: "Well, papa, if mamma'll do it, I'll be whipped, but if oo's doin' to whip me, deess I'll be shut up."

A little fellow whose fifth birthday is at hand heard the question asked of a new-comer, "How old is that infant?" His reply was: "She ain't old at all; she has just begun." After he saw the infant, he said to his mother: "Mamma, that baby had her hair cut in Heaven; I suppose they thought she would not be strong enough to walk to the barber's."

A Penny and a Prayer, Too.

"Was that your penny on the table, Susie?" asked grandma, as the children came in from Sabbath-school. "I saw it after you went and I was afraid you had forgotten it."

"Oh, no, grandma; mine went into the box all safely." "Did you drop anything in with it?" asked grandma: "Wh", no, ma'am," said Susie, looking surprised. "I hadn't anything to put in. You know, I earn my penny every week by getting up early and going for the milk."

"Yes, I remember, dear. Do you know just what becomes of your penny?"

"No, ma'am."

"Do you care?"

"Oh, indeed I do, a great deal. I want it to go good somewhere."

"Well, then, every Sabbath, when you drop your penny in, why don't you drop a prayer in, too, that you and your penny may be blessed in its work and do good service for God? Don't you think if every penny carried a prayer with it, the money the school sends away would do a work? Just think of the prayers that would go out, some across the ocean, some way off among the Indians."

"I never thought of that, grandma. The prayer would do as much good as the penny, if it was a real true prayer, wouldn't it? I'm going to remember, and not let my penny go alone, again."

Mrs. Thomas Cooper has sent answer to enigma in last week's paper as follows: William A. Johnson, Dry Goods Store. Next week we will give another enigma and we would be glad for our little friends to work it out. Send answer as early as possible after the publication of paper. We're glad to know there is a growing interest among our young friends for THE CAUCASIAN, and hope to greatly improve this column for their benefit.

THE CAUCASIAN.

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CLINTON, N. C., JUNE 27, 1889.

THE CAUCASIAN'S RECORD.
CIRCULATION: 1,500.
One year ago it was less than 800. During the last 12 weeks we have mailed over 12,000 copies.

Dear Reader, a few of our subscribers have not yet paid up their subscriptions. Is it possible that you are one of them? If so, please allow us to remind you again that we greatly value the amount, however small. Let us live on pleasant terms. We desire to give you a first class paper and we wish you to read and enjoy it, but to do this, it is necessary that we keep our little financial relations straight.

Dr. McLow is now on trial in Charleston, S. C., for the murder of editor Dawson of the News & Courier. The jury is composed of 5 white men and 7 negroes.

A disastrous fire broke out in the fated town of Johnston, Pa., on Monday and destroyed several thousand dollars worth property. It is truly an unfortunate town.

The North Carolina Teachers part of 110 persons will sail for Europe on July 4th and return about August 21st. The party will take in the Paris Exposition on their trip.

Pennsylvania voted on Prohibition last week and the anti carried the State by an overwhelming majority. The majorities in the towns of North Carolina that voted on local option two weeks ago were generally largely anti. Rum is gaining ground it seems.

More convicts are needed on the C. F. & Y. V. Extension. The Raleigh correspondent of the Wilmington Messenger says: Application for more convicts is made by the C. F. & Y. V. Railroad, of the Wilmington extension. There are now 250 at work there. Some sickness prevails there, mainly dysentery, and mainly along the Black River. Elsewhere the health of the convicts is good.

Mr. Kirby H. Smith of Goldboro who was arrested at the University during the commencement and charged with painting the Caldwell Monument has entered suit against Pres. Battle as agent of the board of trustees for \$20,000 damages for false arrest. He has able counsel and the case will be watched with interest.

The present fruit crop is one of abundance as far as it has matured. Throughout the State the returns are favorable. If it is properly taken care of it must prove a source of much comfort and considerable revenue. * * * Let the people learn to care their fruit crops—to dry, to preserve and can them. This year owing to the exorbitant price of sugar caused by a conspiracy to rob the people, and made possible by the present tariff, the people can not preserve as much as usual. But they might cure by evaporation and thus prepare their fruits for market—Wilmington Messenger.

The Wilmington Star says: A short while ago we called attention to the fact that one of our Western counties imported several thousand bushels of corn from the West to supply the home demand for corn, and the Clinton CAUCASIAN of this week informs us that two mercantile establishments in that town had sold this year 6000 bushels of Western corn and large quantities of hay and meat to supply the wants of Sampson county farmers. The CAUCASIAN sounds the warning and says that if this continues it simply means agricultural bankruptcy. There must be reform in this. It is barely possible that here and there a farmer may be found who can buy his bread and meat from the West and keep his head above water, but 99 out of a 100 will go under as sure as fate if they continue in this course.

The Star agrees with us in our statement of last week that for an agricultural people to buy their supplies from abroad must result in bankruptcy to those who do so. There is no hope for it to be otherwise and we trust our farmers will make their supplies at home. They can do it. More home necessities and less cotton should be the motto of our farmers.

AMERICAN PHYSICAL STAMINA.

In the July Harper's Mr. William Blaikie propounds the question: "Is American stamina declining?" and answers it in the affirmative. "Seventy years ago," he says, "over 80 per cent. of all our men were farmers, hunting or fishing, raising, early, but all day in the pure, bracing air," etc. Now scarcely 40 per cent. are farmers and the rest are at callings which contribute little or nothing to muscle or health making. Labor-saving machinery has supplanted human exertion and skill to a wonderful extent, and our pastimes now are more largely of an intellectual and less of a physical character than formerly. The modern athletic games and gymnastics affect a very small percentage of the people.

The result of these changed conditions, thanks Mr. Blaikie, is visible in old and young, and it is not strange that the majority of Americans are inert, flat chested, poor walkers and premature infirm. Exercise at schools is neglected.

"Are there five boys," asks he, "in an average class of sixty * * * who can run half a mile in even three minutes and a half without being badly blown?"

There is certainly much force in this view of our race, and we should accord it undivided assent if it were not for the statistics which are so often intrusive and give the lie to appearances. These mathematical imperfections testify that the average of life is longer and the death-rate smaller than it was before the lamented lack of exercise began to operate. If the statistics must be admitted, the truth is that certain sanitary improvements have, in the respects noted, more than neutralized the causes of muscular deterioration, and that we are still much worse off than we should be if Mr. Blaikie's suggestions for securing a better physical development were adopted in schools and elsewhere.

That we are not dying younger is no reason why we should not strive to keep from growing flat chested and nervous and making life less enjoyable. The uncomfortable theory has been advanced that mankind, if isolated on the North American continent, would become extinct. It is asserted that the Indians were already fading out when the white man came, and that the records of the mounds show that at least one race previous to them had been extinguished. The explanation is that our climate will wither and destroy the juices of human life unless recruited by imported blood. If this be true Mr. Blaikie is working for American stamina against greater odds than he knows of. We are not disposed to accept the assertion, however.—N. Y. World.

"QUIT TRYING"—GIVE ALL YOUR TIME.
Doubtless many have been led by mistaken views of duty to enter certain fields of labor when the Lord had not called them there. In such cases, as soon as the mistake has been discovered, it ought to be rectified. It is not pleasant to say, "I was mistaken," but it must often be said. It is often humiliating to confess so great a mistake, but it is better to confess it and rectify it than to go on perpetuating the mistake. If a man finds he has not been called to preach, let him have the manhood to acknowledge his mistake and quit trying. * * * There is still great need of preachers who shall give their time entirely to the work. The churches need to be educated to the duty of pastoral support, so that the hands of their pastors "may be loosed" from all other work for a support, and they may "live of the gospel."—Biblical Recorder.

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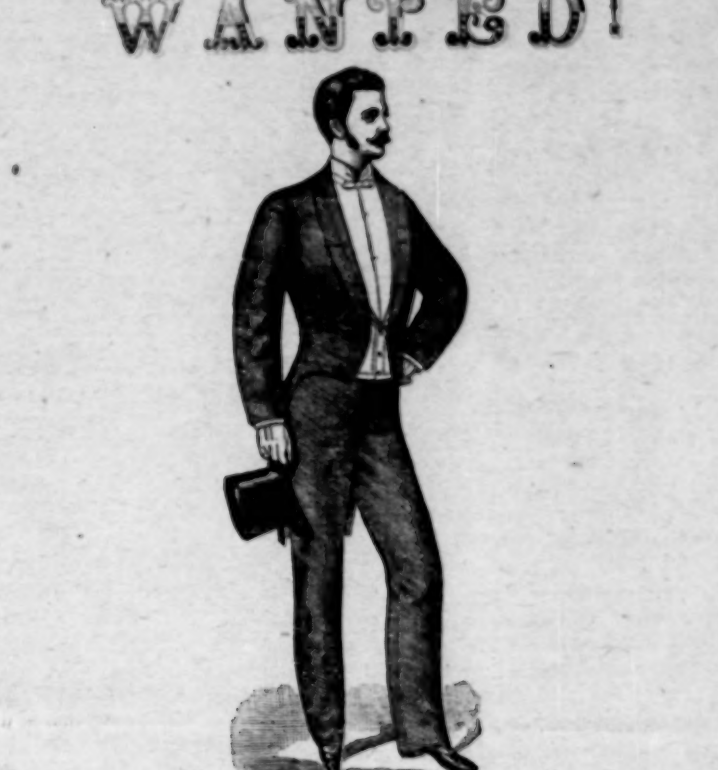
Executor's Notice.

HAVING THIS DAY QUAL-
ified as Executor of A. B. Barbrey's estate, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present the same, duly proven, within twenty months, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate by note, account or any other manner, will please come forward and make immediate payment.

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CLINTON, N. C., JUNE 27, 1899.

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—Every member of the Sampson Light Infantry should be present at drill tomorrow.
—Prof. F. I. McKenzie, of Bellevue High School has a writing school in town.
—Dr. Marable filled his pulpit at the Presbyterian church last Sunday, preaching an interesting sermon from Isaiah 53:1 and 3d.

—Union meeting of South River Association will commence at Salem Baptist Church on Friday, the 28th inst and close on Sunday following.
—Our Cumberland subscribers will find our Cumberland letter on the first page of great interest. All the news of the county is epitomized in this letter.

—A North-bound special train on the W. & A. R. R. ran over a negro boy, near Warsaw, Monday, and he headed from his injuries about an hour afterward.
—The pupils of St. Paul's Sunday School will give an Ice Cream Supper next Tuesday evening at Bass' Hotel. Ice cream and cake 15 cents. Come one, come all.

—Our township correspondence has been unavoidably crowded out this week on account of sickness of some of our printers. We hope it will not be the case again.

—The County Alliance meets in Clinton on Friday, July the 5th, at 10 o'clock, a. m. Delegates of judges failing to get the new word will be admitted on the old word.

—Esmeralda was repeated in Atkin Hall last Thursday night and notwithstanding the excessively warm weather a good house was present. The proceeds, we think, amounted to about \$25.

—The Carolina Veneer Works have been recently enlarged by adding a large room in which the girls make butter dishes. Fans are run by machinery to keep the operatives comfortable during hot weather.

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 Baptist—Pastor, D. P. Meeks. Services, 1st and 3d Sabbath of each month. Prayer meeting Tuesday at 7 P. M. Sunday school, 9 A. M., 3 P. M.
 Presbyterian—Pastor, Dr. B. F. Marable. Services, 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month. Prayer meeting Tuesday at 7 P. M. Sunday school, 9 A. M. Methodist—Pastors, C. P. Jerome. Services, at Presbyterian and Baptist, 1st Sunday 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sunday school (in Lodge) every Sunday at 9 A. M. Prayer meeting (at Presbyterian church) Thursday, nights at 7 P. M.
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 Colored Baptist—Second Sunday in each month at 11 A. M., 3 P. M., and 7 P. M.

MISCELLANEOUS:
 K. of H.—J. E. Johnson, Dictator, meets every third Friday night at 8 o'clock.
 Hiram Masonic Lodge—D. A. Culbreth, Master, meets every third Friday at 11 o'clock A. M.
 Library of Union Literary Association over postoffice. Librarian, W. S. Thomson.
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Times for Holding Courts for 1899.
FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
 Spring—Judge Graves.
 Wake—February 25th, March 25th, April 22nd, July 8th, August 26th, September 23rd, October 21st.
 Wayne—March 11th, April 15th, September 9th, October 14th.
 Permet—August 6th, 25th.
 Johnston—August 12th, Nov. 11th.
SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
 Spring—Judge Shipp.
 Fall—Judge—
 Pender—May 6th, September 9th.
 New Hanover—April 15th, September 22nd.
 Lenoir—August 19th, Nov. 11th.
 Duplin—September 2d, Nov. 25th.
 Sampson—Feb. 25th, April 29th, October 7th, December 5th.
 Carteret—March 18th, October 21.
 Jones—March 25th, October 28th.
 Onslow—April 1st, Nov. 4th.
SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
 Spring—Judge Merrimon.
 Fall—Judge Shipp.
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 " W. Russell for work at county farm, 5 80
 " Cassie Herring for three months' support, 15 00
 " Alonzo Benton 3 months' support, 15 00
 " J. M. Spell for Anna Ellis " M. Hueston for merchandise for county farm, 6 65
 " M. C. Blood for material and work on bridge, 31 93
 " Maggie Kinsauls for three months' support, 5 00
 " Kiley Priggin for support, 3 00
 " Frank Brown for material and work on Murphy's bridge, 22 75
 " Marida Hare for 3 months' support for child, 6 00
 " J. H. Robinson for keeping jail, 59 95
 " Stewart, Hines & Beaman for bagging and ties for ball cotton at county farm, 1 05
 " Caucasian for publishing annual statement of expenses of county from 1st of Dec. 1887 to 1st of December, '88, 40 00
 " James M. Crumpler and others for work on causeway, 19 87
 " Wm. Daughtry for waiting on jurors at Dec. Term, 1888, 2 00
 " J. H. Register for wood for jail, 75
 " T. H. Patrick & Bro. for merchandise for county farm, 41 87
 " T. H. Patrick & Bro. for merchandise for bridge workers, 14 48
 " C. Patrick for merchandise for county farm, 3 26
 " C. Patrick for merchandise for bridge workers, 7 65
 " Edwards & Broughton for blanks for commissioner, 1 75
 " W. A. Johnson for merchandise for Courthouse, 90
 " J. M. Spell for gallowes, guard and executing Anna Ellis, 34 65
 " O. F. Herring recording county papers, 5 60
 " Dr. J. A. Stevens for services as county supt. of Health, February 4, '88, 109 00
 " E. Turner for work on county farm, 1 50
 " C. Patrick for two days service as chairman B. C. C. and one day to bridge, 6 00
 " J. M. Marshall for two days service as commissioner and visit to bridge, 8 70
 " J. C. Hobbs for two days service as commissioner and 40 miles travel, 6 80
 " O. F. Herring for two days service as clerk to B. C. C. to 35 orders past and 38 merchants' returns, 13 57
 " H. E. Faison for service as county attorney for six months, ending Jan. 1st, '89, 50 00

MARCH.
 To James Shipp for 3 months services at County Farm and other work, 33 20
 " Julia A. Hudson, 3 months' service as cook at County Farm, 16 50
 " W. T. Williamson for work on jail, 1 00
 " T. H. Patrick & Bro. to merchandise for bridge company, 13 00
 " T. H. Patrick & Bro. to merchandise for County Farm, 30 10
 " T. H. Patrick & Bro. for rations for outside paupers, 3 00
 " Darcas Smith for 3 months support, 3 00
 " A. J. Johnson for material and work on bridge, 5 47
 " Everett Peterson for calling court, 6 00
 " J. E. Royal for merchandise for County Farm, 10 76
 " W. H. Sessions for service as road juror, 1 00
 " M. M. Sessions for service as road juror, 1 00
 " James H. Robinson for keeping jail, 21 00
 " B. G. E. Daughtry for conveying W. T. Forehand from Johnson county jail to Sampson county jail, 8 20
 " Baalam Best taking care of witness in case State vs. Anna Ellis, 1 00
 " J. M. Spell for summoning jurors and other services, 21 70
 " C. Patrick for merchandise for bridge company, 33 12
 " C. Patrick for Md's for county farm, 51 99
 " C. Patrick for Md's for bridge company, 3 80
 " C. Patrick for wood for Court House, 2 00
 " C. Patrick for 1 day service Ch. B. C. C., 2 00
 " J. Hobbs 1 days service a Comr. and 28 miles travel, 3 40
 " J. M. Marshall 1 days service rs Comr. and 24 miles travel, 3 20
 " O. F. Herring for services as clerk to board county Comr., 14 00

APRIL.
 To Marshal Hall, for support, 3 00
 " James H. Robinson for keeping jail, 22 19
 " T. H. Patrick & Bro. for Md's for county farm, 36 54
 " T. H. Patrick & Bro. for rations for outside paupers, 24 40
 " M. C. Carter for 3 months support, 3 00
 " T. H. Patrick & Bro. for Md's for bridge company, 5 15
 " Adam Bass for work at county farm, 2 56
 " Thos. Moore for working on jail at county farm, .65
 " Rachael Crumpler for 3 months support, 3 00
 " Martha Weeks 3 months support, 3 00
 " M. R. Matthews for working on Taylors bridge, 7 50
 " Jiney Carroll for 3 months support, 5 00
 " A. W. Knowles for building Taylors bridge, 61 15
 " Rebecca Page for 3 months support, 10 00
 " Marshall Hall for 3 months support, 15 00
 " James Simmons 3 months support, 5 82
 " Adeline Matthews 1 months support, 5 00
 " W. A. Johnson for book for court house, .60
 " George Jones for serving notice on court, .60
 " J. E. Royal for Md's for county farm, 2 35
 " J. E. Royal for Md's for bridge com., 6 57
 " Jule Williamson for 3 months support for child, 3 00
 " J. A. Beaman for burying pauper, 3 00
 " Kinsauls & Hall for conveying John Edwards to jail, 2 00
 " Patrick for Md's for county farm, 36 75
 " C. Patrick 1 days service Ch. B. C. C., 2 00
 " C. Patrick 1 day at county farm, 2 00

To J. C. Hobbs for 1-day service as comr., 2 40
 " J. C. Hobbs 28 miles travel service as comr., 1 40
 " J. M. Marshall 1 days service as comr., 2 00
 " J. M. Marshall 3 days travel at bridge, 6 00
 " J. M. Marshall 15 miles travel, .75
 " O. F. Herring for services as clerk to board county comr., 11 00
 " To G. H. Moseley for waiting on jurors, 2 00
 " James Hobbs 3 months support, 9 00
 " Everett Peterson for calling court at April Term 1889, 10 00
 " J. H. Robinson for feeding jurors, 7 20
 " J. H. Robinson for keeping jail, 35 45
 " Nathaniel Faircloth, for three months' support, 9 00
 " Smith Faircloth for burying pauper, 3 00
 " T. M. Britt for beef for Co. Farm, 1 56
 " Henry Brewer for lumber for bridge, 5 60
 " Matthews and Bizzell for merchandise for Co. Farm, 5 75
 " Rebecca E. Butler three months' support, 5 70
 " Cassie Herring for three months' support, 15 00
 " M. Hueston for merchandise for County Farm, 2 00
 " J. E. Royal for merchandise for County Farm, 5 55
 " G. W. Jones for summoning road jurors, 3 00
 " Maggie Kinsauls for three months' support, 5 00
 " Rachael Pope for cooking at County Farm, 1 00
 " James M. Shipp for three months' support at County Farm, 28 82
 " J. A. Hudson for cooking at County Farm, 4 14
 " Marida Hare for support for child, 6 00
 " D. H. Hargrove for three months' support, 7 60
 " Nancy Hargrove for two months' support, 4 00
 " Caucasian for publishing notices, 3 00
 " Kaden Matthews for one months' support, 3 00
 " J. T. Gregory for services as officer of Grand Jurors, 6 00
 " Alonzo Benton for three months' support, 15 00
 " Thos. Baggett for conveying paper to county farm, 1 00
 " T. K. Faison and T. W. Sutton for services as road jurors, 2 00
 " Adam Bass for ditching at county farm, 6 89
 " T. H. Patrick & Bro. for merchandise for county farm, 23 42
 " T. H. Patrick & Bro., for rations for a table paupers, 15 52
 " William Russell for work at County Farm, 2 00
 " J. H. Pugh for cotton seed for county farm, 1 65
 " B. Best for work on Court-house Square and Jail, 17 15
 " J. M. Spell for summoning jurors at April Term, 1889, 10 80
 " C. Patrick, merchandise for County Farm, 41 55
 " C. Patrick for two days services as chairman B. C. C., 4 00
 " C. Patrick one day at Co. Farm, 2 00
 " J. M. Marshall, 2 00
 " " " 28 miles travel, 1 40
 " J. C. Hobbs for 2 days service, 4 00
 " J. C. Hobbs 56 miles travel as clerk to Board of County Comrs and other services, 13 00
 " To Nellie Norris for three months' support for child, 7 50
 " W. A. Hall for one months' support, 5 00
 " P. Anna Manuel for three months' support, 3 00
 " Darcas Smith for three months' support, 5 00
 " James H. Robinson for keeping jail, 7 00
 " T. H. Patrick & Bro. for rations for outside paupers, 81 73
 " T. H. Patrick & Bro. for merchandise for Co. Farm, 41 91
 " Messrs. Moore & Patrick merchandise for Co. Farm, 1 73
 " L. A. Spell for repairing bridges, 6 15
 " J. M. Spell for serving notices on parties in Mingo, 1 20
 " C. Patrick for merchandise for county farm, 31 69
 " Allen Daughtry, J. P. and B. G. E. Daughtry D. S. for arrest and conveying lunatic to asylum, 8 25
 " Edwards & Broughton for books for County, 14 00
 " C. Patrick for one days' service as chairman B. C. C. and one day at Co. Farm, 4 00
 " J. C. Hobbs for one days' as commissioner and 28 miles travel, 3 40
 " J. M. Marshall for services as commissioner and visit to bridge, 9 40
 " O. F. Herring for services as clerk to commissioners other work, 20 60

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 Lv Weldon, 12 40 pm 5 43 pm 6 00 am
 Ar Rocky Mt. 1 55 " " " 7 10 "
 Ar Tarboro, " 5 55 " " " " "
 Ar Weldon, 10 20 " " " " "
 Ar Wilson, " 2 27 " " " " "
 Ar Selma, " 3 40 " " " " "
 Ar Fayetteville 6 00 " " " " "
 Lv Goldsboro, 3 20 " " 7 40 pm 8 30 am
 Lv Warsaw, 4 16 " " 8 40 " 9 40 "
 Lv Macdonia, 4 30 " " 8 40 " 9 55 "
 Ar Wilmington 6 00 " 9 55 " 11 30 "
TRAINS GOING NORTH.
 No. 14. No. 78. No. 46.
 Daily. Daily. Sunday.
 Lv Wilmington 12 05 am 9 00 am 4